

Top Marks again for Kirkburton in final fling but . . .

It's Shepley's title after crawl to a point

SAFETY FIRST
Shepley claimed their second Section "A" title in three years on Saturday.

Needing just one point to be assured of the Byrom Shield, their normally attack-minded batsmen dug in after being inserted at

Trophy, played for over the last six matches, with a 0.22 superior scoring average to

Huddersfield Cricket League round-up by
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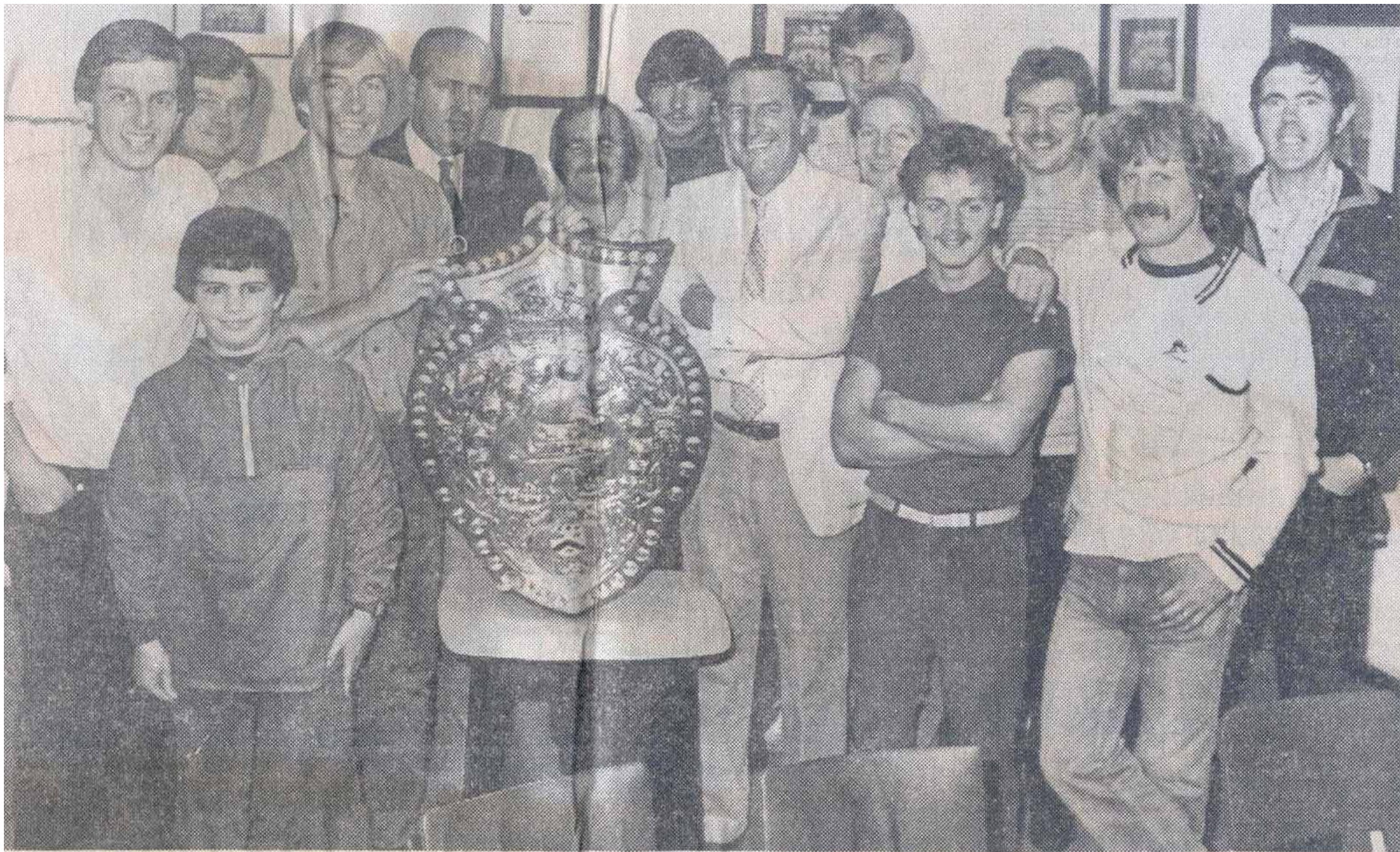
He took a catch behind and made 18 but, although they chased all the way, Hud-

Dalton, who were all out for 101 as left-arm seamer Kelvin Gillespie took six for 59 from 15.4 overs and Bob Davies and Roy Brook held some fine slip catches for the home side, who finished third for the third successive season.

Opener Kevin Whitehead

—How they finished—

SECTION "A"								
	P	W	L	3pts	1pt	T	Pts	
Shepley	22	9	2	7	4	0	61	
Kirkburton	22	11	3	4	4	0	60	
Elland	22	8	3	7	4	0	57	
Broad Oak	22	5	5	7	5	0	46	
Lascelles Hall	22	6	3	4	9	0	45	
Meltham	22	7	6	4	5	0	45	
Honley	22	5	9	5	3	0	38	
Bradley Mills	22	4	7	4	6	1	36	
Huddersfield	22	3	7	5	6	1	35	
Marsden	22	4	7	3	7	1	34	
Golcar	22	2	7	4	8	1	30	
Holmfirth	22	1	6	5	10	0	29	
SECTION "B"								
Hall Bower	22	13	0	5	4	0	71	
Kirkheaton	22	8	2	7	5	0	58	
Slaithwaite	22	8	5	5	4	0	51	
Primrose Hill	22	7	6	5	4	0	47	
Paddock	22	6	8	5	3	0	42	
Armitage Bridge	22	4	5	6	7	0	41	
Rastrick	22	4	6	6	6	0	40	
Lockwood	22	7	8	1	5	1	38	
Thongsbridge	22	3	5	4	9	1	35	
Almondbury	22	5	6	1	10	0	33	
Dalton	22	4	10	3	5	0	30	
Linthwaite	22	5	13	2	2	0	28	
HOPKINSON TROPHY								
Kirkburton	6	4	0	1	1	0	20	
Elland	6	4	0	1	1	0	20	
Kirkburton win by virtue of superior scoring average.								



Champions—Shepley skipper Geoff Gill proudly holds the Byrom Shield, presented by Huddersfield League president Jim Dawson and chairman Philip Oldfield, after his side had clinched the Section "A" title by taking one point from their final game at Honley

